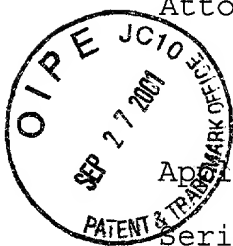


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Dated: September 24, 2001

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Responsive to the Patent Office Notice mailed August 6, 2001, the term for response to which expires on October 6, 2001, submitted herewith are the following:

1. Declaration executed by the inventor and attached to a complete copy of the Japanese application (including drawings), as filed.
2. Accurate English Translation of the above-identified application, referring to the application by Serial Number and filing date, together with a complete set of formal drawings with English legends thereon.



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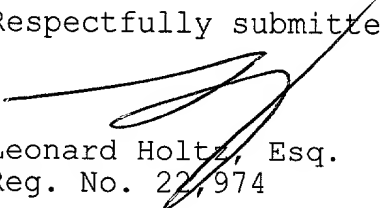
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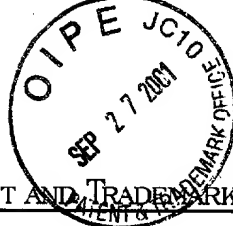
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It is respectfully requested that prosecution on the merits now proceed.

Respectfully submitted,


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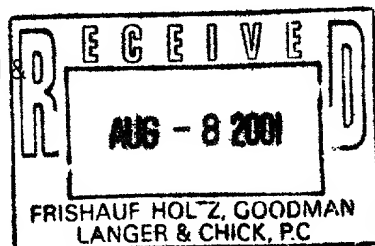


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

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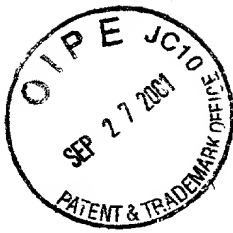
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TRANSLATION

I, Yasuyuki Sasaki, residing at 1-3-1-204, Higashimonzen, Kawasaki-ku, Kawasaki-shi, Kanagawa-ken, Japan, state:

that I know well both the Japanese and English languages;

that I translated, from Japanese into English, the specification, claims, abstract and drawings as filed in U.S. Patent Application No. 09/874,593, filed June 5, 2001; and

that the attached English translation is a true and accurate translation to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated: September 18, 2001

Yasuyuki Sasaki

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